GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3984
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SLAUGHTER OF COW
RAGHUNATH JHA

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether slaughter of cow and its progeny takes place on Bakri Id inspite of the judgement of Supreme Court during November 1994 which made such an act illegal; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) & (b): No reports have been received in this regard. However, the subject of preservation of cattle is under the purview of the State Government as per the Constitutional provisions.